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**NOTICE OF POSSIBLE PTA ERROR**

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Dear Sir:

The patent term adjustment calculated for this patent may be in error. The face of U.S. Patent No. 7,979,382 indicates 1101 days of extension. The assignee believes that the patent term extension may be too many days. It appears that the assignee is entitled to 957 days of extensions at this time. The assignee believes that a total of 144 days which resulted from filing of the information disclosure statement on February 5, 2008 and filing of a request for continued examination on February 18, 2011 should be considered as assignee's delays.

Respectfully submitted,

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